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Dear Sir

J Sainsbury Announces: Non-Executive Director



Please find enclosed a copy of the above announcement made to the London Stock Exchange on 2 February 2007.

Yours sincerely

Hazel Jarvis

Deputy Secretary

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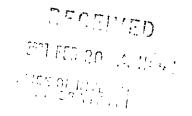
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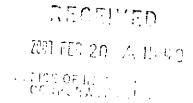
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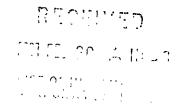
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J Sainsbury Announces: Notification of Major Interests in Shares

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TR-1(i): NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR INTERESTS IN SHARES

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An acquisition or dis	sposal of voting rights:	(×)
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Other (please speci	fy):()	
3. Full name of perso Judith Susan Portra	n(s) subject to the no	otification obligation (iii):
4. Full name of share	holder(s) (if different fr	om 3.) _(iv) :
5. Date of the transac reached if different 31/01/07	tion (and date on wh) (v):	ich the threshold is crossed or
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7. Threshold(s) that is 16%	lare crossed or reac	hed:
8. Notified details:		
A: Voting rights att	ached to shares	
Class/type of shares if possible using the ISIN CODE	Situation previous	to the Triggering transaction (vi)
	Number of shares	Number of voting Rights (viii)
GB00B019 KW72	278,378,436	278,378,436

15. Contact telephone number:

Annex to Notification Of Major Interests In Shares (xvi)

A: Identity of the person or legal entity subject to the notification obligation

Full name (including legal form for legal entities): Judith Susan Portrait

Contact address (registered office for legal entities): Portrait Solicitors, 1 Chancery Lane, London WC2A 1LF

Phone number:

Other useful information (at least legal representative for legal persons):

B: Identity of the notifier, if applicable (xvii)

Full name:

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Other useful information (e.g. functional relationship with the person or legal entity subject to the notification obligation):

C: Additional information

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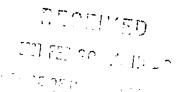
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The date on which threshold is crossed should normally be the date on which the acquisition, disposal or possibility to exercise voting rights takes effect (see DTR 5.1.1R (3)). For passive crossings, the date when the corporate event took effect.

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For the case provided for in DTR5.2.1(a), there should be no disclosure of individual holdings per party to the agreement unless a party individually crosses or reaches an Article 9 threshold. This applies upon entering into, introducing changes to or terminating an agreement.

- (viii) Direct and indirect
- (iv) In case of combined holdings of shares with voting rights attached 'direct holding' and voting rights 'indirect holdings', please split the voting rights number and percentage into the direct and indirect columns-if there is no combined holdings, please leave the relevant box blank.
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- date of maturity / expiration of the finical instrument i.e. the date when the right to acquire shares ends.
- (viv) If the financial instrument has such a period-please specify the period- for example once every three months starting from the (date)
- The notification should include the name(s) of the controlled undertakings through which the voting rights are held. The notification should also include the amount of voting rights and the percentage held by each controlled undertaking, insofar as individually the controlled undertaking holds 5% or more, and insofar as the notification by the parent undertaking is intended to cover the notification obligations of the controlled undertaking.
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- (sun) date of maturity / expiration of the finical instrument i.e. the date when the right to acquire shares ends.
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TR-1(i): NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR INTERESTS IN SHARES

 Identity of the issured voting rights are a J Sainsbury plc 	er or the underlying ttached (ii):	issuer of existing shares to which
2. Reason for the not	t ification (please state	Yes/No): ()
An acquisition or dis	sposal of voting rights	:(X)
An acquisition or dis	sposal of financial inst s already issued to wh	ruments which may result in the nich voting rights are attached: ()
An event changing t	he breakdown of voti	ng rights: ()
Other (please specif	fy):()	
3. Full name of perso Judith Susan Portra	n(s) subject to the n it	otification obligation (iii):
4. Full name of share	holder(s) (if different fr	rom 3.) (iv):
5. Date of the transac reached if different 31/01/07	tion (and date on wh	nich the threshold is crossed or
6. Date on which issu 01/02/07		
7. Threshold(s) that is 16%	s/are crossed or reac	:hed:
8. Notified details:		
A: Voting rights att	tached to shares	
Class/type of shares if possible using the ISIN CODE	Situation previous	s to the Triggering transaction (vi) Number of voting Rights (viii)
GB00B019 KW72	278,378,436	278,378,436

15. Contact telephone number:

Annex to Notification Of Major Interests In Shares (xvi)

A: Identity of the person or legal entity subject to the notification obligation

Full name (including legal form for legal entities): Judith Susan Portrait

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Phone number:

Other useful information (at least legal representative for legal persons):

B: Identity of the notifier, if applicable (xvii)

Full name:

Hazel Jarvis

Contact address

J Sainsbury plc, 33 Holborn, London EC1N 2HT

Phone number:

0207 695 6378

Other useful information (e.g. functional relationship with the person or legal entity subject to the notification obligation):

C: Additional information

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- (iv) Applicable in the cases provided for in DTR 5.2.1 (b) to (h). This should be the full name of the shareholder who is the counterparty to the natural person or legal entity referred to in DTR5.2.
- (v) The date of the transaction should normally be, in the case of an on exchange transaction, the date on which the matching of orders occurs; in the case of an off exchange transaction, date of the entering into an agreement.

The date on which threshold is crossed should normally be the date on which the acquisition, disposal or possibility to exercise voting rights takes effect (see DTR 5.1.1R (3)). For passive crossings, the date when the corporate event took effect.

- (vi) Please refer to the situation disclosed in the previous notification. In case the situation previous to the triggering transaction was below 3%, please state 'below 3%'.
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- (vm) Direct and indirect
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TR-1(i): NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR INTERESTS IN SHARES

 Identity of the issurvoting rights are a J Sainsbury plc 		ssuer of existing shares to which	
2. Reason for the no	tification (please state	/es/No): ()	
An acquisition or di	sposal of voting rights:	(×)	
		uments which may result in the ch voting rights are attached: ()	
An event changing	the breakdown of votin	g rights: ()	
Other (please spec	ify) : ()		
3. Full name of person Judith Susan Portra		tification obligation (iii):	
4. Full name of share	eholder(s) (if different fro	om 3.) (v):	
5. Date of the transa- reached if differer 31/01/07		ich the threshold is crossed or	
6. Date on which iss 01/02/07			
7. Threshold(s) that i	s/are crossed or reac	hed:	
8. Notified details:			
A: Voting rights a	ttached to shares		
Class/type of shares if possible using the ISIN CODE	Situation previous to the Triggering transaction (vi)		
3.2 23	Number of shares	Number of voting Rights (viii)	
GB00B019 KW72	278,378,436	278,378,436	

Resulting situation after the triggering transaction (vii)

Class/type of shares if possible using the ISIN CODE	Number of shares	Number of voting rights (ix)	% of voting rights	
	Direct	Direct (x) Indirect (xi)	Direct Indirect	
GB00B019 KW72	238,378,436	238,378,436	13.89%	

B: Financial Instruments

Resulting situation after the triggering transaction (xii)

exercised, converted.	Type of financial instrument	Expiration Date (xiii)	Exercise/Conversion Period/ Date (xiv)	Number of voting rights that may be acquired if the instrument is exercised/ converted.	% of voting rights
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Total (A+B)	
Number of voting rights	% of voting rights

238,378,436 13.89%

9. Chain of controlled undertakings through which the voting rights and/or the financial instruments are effectively held, if applicable (xv):

Proxy Voting:

- 10. Name of the proxy holder:
- 11. Number of voting rights proxy holder will cease to hold:
- 12. Date on which proxy holder will cease to hold voting rights:
- 13. Additional information:
- 14. Contact name:

15. Contact telephone number:

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- (i) As Trustee of the Blind Trust for Lord Sainsbury of Turville she has disposed of 40 million shares as a result of the settlement of contractual arrangements entered into with a leading investment bank.
- (ii) Following this and sales made as Trustee of other family Trusts and Charities, her shareholding has reduced and she is now interested, in all capacities, in approximately the following numbers of relevant shares:-

Judith Portrait – 13% (238,378,436 shares in aggregate)

For further information contact Anthony Carlisle Citigate Dewe Rogerson 0207 638 9571

Notes to the Forms

- (i) This form is to be sent to the issuer or underlying issuer and to be filed with the competent authority.
- (ii) Either the full name of the legal entity or another method for identifying the issuer or underlying issuer, provided it is reliable and accurate.
- (iii) This should be the full name of (a) the shareholder; (b) the person acquiring, disposing of or exercising voting rights in the cases provided for in DTR5.2.1 (b) to (h); (c) all the parties to the agreement referred to in DTR5.2.1 (a), or (d) the direct or indirect holder of financial instruments entitled to acquire shares already issued to which voting rights are attached, as appropriate.

In relation to the transactions referred to in points DTR5.2.1 (b) to (h), the following list is provided as indication of the persons who should be mentioned:

- in the circumstances foreseen in DTR5.2.1 (b), the person that acquires the voting rights and is entitled to exercise them under the agreement and the natural person or legal entity who is transferring temporarily for consideration the voting rights:
- in the circumstances foreseen in DTR 5.2.1 (c), the person holding the collateral, provided the person or entity controls the voting rights and declares its intention of exercising them, and person lodging the collateral under these conditions:
- in the circumstances foreseen in DTR5.2.1(d), the person who has a life interest in shares if that person is entitled to exercise the voting rights attached to the shares and the person who is disposing of the voting rights when the life interest is created:
- in the circumstances foreseen in DTR5.2.1 (e), the parent undertaking and, provided it has a notification duty at an individual level under DTR 5.1, under DTR5.2.1 (a) to (d) or under a combination of any of those situations, the controlled undertaking:
- in the circumstances foreseen in DTR5.2.1 (f), the deposit taker of the shares, if he can exercise the voting rights attached to the shares deposited with him at his discretion, and the depositor of the shares allowing the deposit taker to exercise the voting rights at his discretion;
- in the circumstances foreseen in DTR5.2.1 (g), the person-that controls the voting rights:
- in the circumstances foreseen in DTR5.2.1 (h), the proxy holder, if he can exercise the voting rights at his discretion, and the shareholder who has given his proxy to the proxy holder allowing the latter to exercise the voting rights at his discretion.

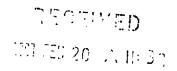
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2. Reason for the noti	fication (please state Ye	s/No): ()
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